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Professor Joshua Lederberg Department of Genetics Stanford University School of Medicine Palo Alto, California

Dear Josh:

I hope to be in Palo Alto Thursday, April 26th and would like very much to have a chance to talk with you if you expect to be in.

We have been producing some mutants or new markers on "single stranded" (denatured) DNA and I have heard that you were once interested in this area. If our results are similar perhaps we could avoid an uncomfortable situation. Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Roger M. Herriott

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Dear Roger ---

I'm afraid I will be out of the country then, but I am sure that Dr. Nester or Dr. Bodmer will be delighted to talk to you. We have not had so very striking results on mutagenic treatments on denatured DNA, and will be delighted to hear your findingss

